GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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REDUCTION IN CODE NUMBERS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of total S.T.D. codes in the country;

(b) whether the Government are contemplating to reduce the code numbers;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the details of the facilities proposed to be provided as a result of reducing the STD code number; and

(e) by when it is likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRIMATI S MAHAJAN)

(a) At present, the total number of S.T.D codes in the country is 2645.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) to (e) Do not arise in view of (b) above.